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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title AFC1 and RCE1: Isoprenylated CAAX Processing Enzymes
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.
1. X *Fee Transmittal Form (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. <u>X</u> Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 CFR 1.27)
3. X Specification (Total Pages 51 (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive Title of the Invention - Cross References to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claims - Abstract of the Disclosure
4 Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets)
5. X Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 2) a. Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
b. X Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)
i <u>DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)</u> Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6 Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
7 CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
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